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Men's Bonspiel Off To Good Start

The draw committee of the men's open bonspiel were without a doubt the busiest people in Wainwright as the curling, shouting, rock throwing and sweeping got underway on Sunday afternoon last in the Wainwright 2nd Annual Bonspiel.

This year sees a record of 47 rinks in all entered to compete for some of the best prizes ever to be offered. Of this there are 16 visiting rinks and 31 local rinks.

The draws have been made to start at 7:00 a.m. each morning and running eight draws per day with four sheets of ice, allows 32 games to be played, it is hoped that Friday night will see the finals being played off and the winners declared.

There are three competitions this year, Grand Challenge, Merchants and Consolation. The major and minor events of the grand challenge are listed as Wainwright Hotel Co. Event, and Wainwright Gas Co. Event. Gold Standard Oils Event and Calgary Power Event are the labels attached to the major and minor of the Merchants Competition. This year a special contest has been devised for the visitors only, on a straight knock out basis with prizes of four signet rings offered by Walker's Jewelry. This will ensure our visiting rinks of six games at least, while other teams will only be assured of five.

One of Wainwright's old time curlers in the person of Mr. W. Pigeon is curling in this 'spiel and while he is not a regular curler of late, is taking the game pretty serious. His team is comprised of other non-regular curlers with E. Fahnel, third A. Rustand, second and R. Murray lead.

The grand aggregate prize for this season is four trophies donated to the G.A. winner by the Wainwright Co-Op. These cups are the reason for the gleam in every curlers eye. The hard luck prize, while being a little out of season, will come in handy as summer rolls around, four tins of D.D.T. Fly Spray. Even the loosers are winners thanks to Mr. Gordon Graham.

Other prizes are listed below in their respective events, competitions and order, with the names of donors of the prizes following:

GRAND CHALLENGE Competition
Wainwright Hotel Event (major)
1. Four Hudson Bay blankets, Wainwright Hotel
2. Four car robes, Ryan and Mitchell
3. Four tray sets, Buckle's Hardware and Deliveries Limited
4. Four flashlights, Precision Radio Co.

Wainwright Gas Co. Event (Minor)
1. Four wool blankets, Wainwright Gas Co.
2. Four sides of bacon, Eddies Food Market
3. Four cigarette trays, T. Eaton Co.
4. Four jack knives, Atlas Lumber Co

MERCHANTS COMPETITION
Gold Standard Oils (Major)
1. Four lamps, Turner Electric, Gold Standard Oils and Grand Hotel
2. Four sweaters, A. C. Armstrong Co
3. Four bon-bon dishes, Birks
4. Four flashlights, Beaver Lumber Co.

Calgary Power (Minor)
1. Four curling coats, Wainwright Curling Club
2. Four heaters, Calgary Power Co.
3. Four shaving sets, Wainwright Pharmacy and Wainwright 5c to $5.00 Store
4. Four pictures, F. E. McLeod and Co

CONSOLATION
1. Four chamois and wash mitts, Buffalo Service Station
2. Four wall mirrors, Wainwright Star
3. Four sun visors, Reynolds Garage
4. Four glass bake dishes, Wainwright Studio.

A banquet has been planned for Wednesday night and at the time of writing more than 150 people have stated their intentions to attend. This will be held in the Separate School Auditorium at 5:30 p.m. and the members of the Wainwright Curling Club will cater.

Visiting teams entered under the skips name are reported from the following points;

Edgerton—H. Spornitz, F. Ramsay, Thos. Shaw, Adam Spence, Jas. Strayer.
Irma—Archibald, Brown, Fenton, Milne and Smallwood
Lloydminster—Nundahl
Provost—Frezzel
Vermilion—Currah
Chauvin—Neil
Prosperity—Diamond
Ribstone—Hilker

A complete list of winning teams will appear in next weeks issue of the paper.

Task of Members Of Rink Defined

Lead, a Lowly Person, Second a More Man, Third a Gentleman and Skip, an Ideal Curler

The following are the duties of the various members comprising an average rink of curlers, as outlined by an expert.

The Lead — A Lowly Person

This is a very lowly person who throws the first pair of rocks. He is supposed to thank the Diety once a day in his prayers that he even exists, let alone being allowed to play at bon spiel time. All curlers have served this period of apprenticeship and it is a remarkable fact that 90 per cent of them have never served long enough. He always addresses the skip as "Sir" and the third as "Mr." This lead person is expected to see that four pairs of rocks belonging to his rink are on the ice and cleaned five minutes before the game starts. He must do no less than 75 per cent of the sweeping; he is expected to keep the skip supplied with cigarettes and at bonspiel time to purchase at least one bottle of Scotch ensome per diem. This is to be consumed by the rest of the rink and the skip of the rink defeated that day, just one drink per defeated skip. He is not even allowed over the hog line. His curling must be perfect or he is blamed for the loss of all games in which his rink suffers defeat. He may tell the second man what he thinks about the skip, but no one else. After many years he becomes a skip if he survives the sarcasm of his associates.

The Second Player — More Man

This person is but a degree removed from the lead. He is expected to do 15 per cent of the sweeping. He also as the lead, is expected to keep the skips supplied with cigarettes and the third man with matches. He must on all occasions get the rock he is to kick out otherwise he is blamed for loss of games. His chief duty is to see that the lead does not forget to purchase the bottle for the day and

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IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of wife and mother, Phobey Fox, who passed away, January 28, 1945.

The flowers we place upon your grave
May wither and decay,
But love for you who sleeps beneath
Will never fade away.
Sadly missed by
HUSBAND & SONS,
WILBERT and RUSSEL

The New Look

This weeks issue of THE STAR has what might be termed as the new look. In case your wondering what we have done take a look at the top of the page. A commercial artist in Edmonton when asked to dream up something nice for the banner line of the paper, came up with this idea. We like it and hope that our customers and readers will also.

The Old English line at the top of the paper has been in use for a good many years. Much longer than it should have been for it was hardly worn. Our estimation of the number of papers that the old one had been printed in is close to 100,000. That's a lot of "Stars".

School Team Lose Curling Championship in Edmonton

—CUT COURTESY EDMONTON JOURNAL

Pictured above is the curling team which represented the Wainwright schools in the school bonspiel held at Edmonton last week-end. Though unsuccessful in winning any events they all report a good time was had. They met some grand sports for opponents. Pictured from left to right; L. McLeod, skip, H. Alwood, third; G. Alexander, second; Robt. Croteau, lead.

Wainwright O O.R.P. Celebrate Birthday

A very pleasant social evening was spent in the IOOF Hall on Thursday last when the ladies of the Royal Purple were hostesses to the brother Elks, to celebrate their second birthday.

Cards were played until midnite, the honors going to R. Wilkins and Miss E. Gmanke at bridge, Mr. Caron and Mrs. C. Graunke at whist. A peanut race and a tie-tying competition were the cause of much marriment, after which all present enjoyed a very delicious lunch. The spring flowers which graced the tables had been sent by Holden OORP who were unable to be present owing to the slippery condition of the roads.

H.R.L. MacGregor gave a short address welcoming the Brother Elks, and describing the various activities of the lodge since its inception. E.R. Stafford in a few well chosen words gave the reply.

With Lady K. MacDonald at the piano, and the entire company joining in a gay sing song, and some close harmony on a few old favorite melodies, brought a very successful evening to a close. —Con.

Legion Auxiliary Hold Annual Meeting

The Ladies Auxiliary held its annual meeting recently in the Legion Hut and there was a large attendance. Reports of president and various committees showed that there had been a very active year and the Auxiliary had achieved considerable work.

Many large efforts had been successfully carried out and much money spent.

Mr. Herb Snyder on behalf of the Legion attending to conduct Election of Officers. The following were elected for the year 1948:

President—Mrs. Roy Carl
1st Vice President—Mrs. Kowalchuk
2nd Vice President—Mrs. Barrett
Secretary—Mrs. Guy Pigeon
Treasurer—Mrs. Eddie Walker
Standard Bearer—Mrs. Leroy Carl
Executive—Mesdames Cameron, Morgan, Stuart, Dundas, Lou Carl and Walter Jackson.

The Past President, Mrs. Jean Madill then conducted the ceremony of Installation of the new officers. Membership committee for 1948 are: Mrs. Ed. Nordstrom, Mrs. Ronald Morrison and Mrs. T. Lissimore.

The Auxiliary wish to thank any who helped to make their year a successful one, and hope to have as successful a 1948. New members are always welcome, and may get in touch with any of the Membership committee or ask for an application form from any member. —Con.

District Couple Wed in Church Ceremony

St. Thomas' Anglican Church, decorated with yellow daffodils and fern, was the scene of a very pretty wedding on Friday, January 23rd at 8:00 p.m. when Patricia Carrie Lagerquist, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Lagerquist of Wainwright, became the bride of Allan Taylor Rathwell, son of Mr. Walter Rathwell also of Wainwright. Rev. F. E. Smith performed the marriage ceremony.

Given in marriage by her uncle, Mr. Ted Goddard, the bride was lovely in a floor length satin gown featuring fitted bodice with a peplum, long lily point sleeves and high lace neckline. Her long veil was held by a coronet of orange blossoms and the only ornaments worn were glass earrings set with pearls. She carried a bouquet of red roses.

Misses Pauline and Mabel Lagerquist, sisters of the bride, were charming bridesmaids dressed in floor length blue and pink nylon frocks trimmed with net. Their matching chapel veils were held by contrasting flowers and each carried a bouquet of carnations and daffodils.

Mr. Harold Rathwell supported his brother as best man and Messrs. William Lagerquist and Raymond Boyd acted as ushers.

The wedding music supplied by Mrs. June Cartier included the hymns "O Perfect Love" and "We Lift Up Our Hearts, Oh Father."

A wedding reception was held in the Anglican Parish Hall to a number of close friends and relatives. The hall was prettily decorated with pink white and powder blue streamers. The bride's table laid with white linen was centred with the three tiered wedding cake, flanked on either side with candles and bouquets of daffodils.

To receive, the bride's mother wore a two tone green dress with matching accessories and wore a corsage of roses and carnations. Mrs. Rathwell chose a powder blue crepe dress with hat to match and her corsage was also of roses and carnations.

Mrs. E. F. Seabrook presided at the urns, with Mrs. Ted Goddard, Mrs. Tom Goddard and Misses Josephine and Ruby Lagerquist assisting as serviteurs.

The toast to the bride was given by Rev. F. E. Smith and responded to by Mr. J. Veitch.

For travelling the bride changed to a navy suit with fawn top coat and matching hat. After a wedding trip to the coast Mr. and Mrs. Rathwell will reside on the groom's farm in the Wainwright district.

Out of town guests at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Goddard of Viking, and Mrs. J. Veitch, Mr. and Mrs. T. Bazley and Mr. Bazley all from Edgerton.

District Pioneer Dies In Edmonton

One of Wainwright's very early and outstanding pioneer farmers and ranchers passed away in Edmonton on Thursday, January 22nd, in the person of Mr. George Smith. He had moved to Edmonton in December to spend the winter months there.

Born near the Niagara Penninsula in Ont. in 1859 he was married in January 1881 and with his bride moved to Saginaw, Michigan, where he farmed until 1905 when he came west to Wainwright and took a homestead. His wife and family joined him the following year 1906. Mrs. Smith predeceased him in August 1942.

He was well known in the Wainwright and Greenfields districts, where he had extensive farming interests.

In 1946 he re-married and had been living in the Fabyan district until moving to Edmonton in the fall. The deceased had enjoyed good health and been quite active until his sudden passing as stated above.

Left to mourn besides his wife are one son Arthur of Wainwright and two daughters, Mrs. J. Middlemass of Wainwright and Mrs. R. Bradshaw of Royal Oak, Mich., U.S.A.

The funeral was held on Saturday at 2:30 p.m. from the Presbyterian Church with Rev. Dr. Young officiating. McLeod's funeral parlors were in charge of arrangements. Those acting as pallbearers were Messrs. L. W. Smith, G. Conroy, C. Coleman, M. Roth, G. Reid and J. A. MacKenzie.

Floral tributes and donations to the Cancer fund in memory of the deceased were received from: Your loving wife; Joe and Tillie; Josephine, Eric and family; Mary and Gilbert; Lillian Art, Marg. and Marilyn; The King Families; Esther and Jim; Mr. and Mrs. J. A. MacKenzie; Mr. and Mrs. S. Cooper; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Reid; Garney and Mildred; Mr. and Mrs. W. White and family; The Morrison Family; Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Kott and Sew and So Club of Fabyan.

Credit Union Hold Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Wainwright and District Savings and Credit Union was held in the I.O.O.F. Hall Wednesday, January 21st.

The meeting was well attended with the members re-electing the retiring officers and endorsing the recommendation to pay 3% dividend on shares.

Mr. H. A. Koch of Wainwright and Messrs Hebert and Robertson of Edmonton gave short talks on the activities and progress of Credit Unions which proved very interesting.

The meeting adjourned with the members feeling that 1947 was a year to be proud of and that 1948 will be even bigger as greater co-operation and understanding is being realized.

Financial Statement Approved by Town Council

This is the official record of the proceedings of Council of the Town of Wainwright at its regular meeting held in the council chamber on Tuesday, the 20th day of January, 1948, commencing at 8 o'clock p.m.

The members of Council present at this meeting were Mayor Robinson and Councillors Armishaw, Wallace, Stafford, Tory and Coleman.

The recorded proceedings of Council at their regular meeting held on January 6th, 1948, were read and on motion of Councillor Wallace were confirmed as written.

On motion of Councillor Stafford, that Building Permits Nos 62 to 66, aggregating proposed building construction of $30,500.00, be approved by Council.

On motion of Councillor Tory, that the Report of the Fire, Light and Utility Committee, relative to Town Fire Brigade, be approved by Council and that the recommendations contained therein be complied with.

On motion of Councillor Coleman, that the Auditor's Financial Statement of the Town of Wainwright, for the year ending December 31st, 1947 as prepared by Patriquin, Duncan, McClary, McClary and King, Chartered Accountants of Tegler Building Edmonton, bearing date of the 14th day of January, 1948, be approved by Council and ordered filed with the records of the Town.

On motion of Councillor Armishaw that assent be given to the introduction of a By-Law concerning the sale of Lots 36, 37, 38 and 39 in Block 4, Plan 6445-V, to William Hansen of Wainwright, for the sum of $90.00.

By-Law Number 48-2, received its three readings on motions of Councillors Wallace, Stafford and Coleman

On motion of Councillor Armishaw that assent be given to the introduction of a By-Law concerning the sale of Lots 23, 24, 25 and 26 in Block 5, Plan 6445-V, to King Brothers of Fabyan, for the sum of $200.00.

By-Law Number 48-3, received its three readings on motions of Councillors Wallace, Stafford and Tory.

On motion Council was regularly adjourned.

Prizes Announced For Farmers Bonspiel

Plans are more definite now for the forthcoming farmers bonspiel to be held on Saturday, January 31st, starting at 9:00 a.m. At the present time nearly 15 entries have been received by the committee chairman, Mr. H. E. Buckle, but by the time that the rock throwing really gets underway there will be more entries.

This is the first time that a special farmers bonspiel has been held in quite a number of years and it is planned to continue this event each winter so that many a rural enthusiast can try their skill at the roaring game.

Prizes have been announced as follows:

1st—4 pigs, donated by J. Parkins
2nd—4 sweaters, donated by A. C. Armstrong Co
3rd—4 20-lb. drums of grease, donated by Tory Sales and Service
4th—4 jack knives, donated by Buckle's Hardware and Ryan and Mitchell Hardware.

The prizes are well worth the effor and sport to be gained from the 'spiel, and the committee wishes any rinks not entered to contact Barney Buckle before the end of the week

R. Ganderton Wins Points Competition

More than thirty players of the Wainwright Curling Club took part in the 'Points Competition" which was held Wednesday last, January 14.

As reported in the last issue of the Star, the rules were those laid down by the Dominion Curling Association and the nine different shots were made by throwing four rocks each time. Thus a possible 36 points would be perfect score.

Mr. R. Ganderton took lead position in the competition with 25 points, followed by D. Beeching, 24 points and W. Carl 23 points. Prizes for this event were donated by The Wainwright Clinic and were three cup trophies.

It is hoped that this will become an annual event in the curling circles of the club and be held each year.

§ LOCAL NOTES §

Mrs. Frank Ashe returned home on Sunday after visiting during the past week with her parents at Viking.

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Mrs. O. Michon spent the past week visiting relatives in the city.

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Mrs. J. Boos spent a few days in the city the first of the week.

Hospital Board Estimate 1948 Revenue And Expenditures

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Wainwright municipal hospital district No. 17, was held at the hospital, January 16, 1948 at 1 p.m. Members present were: Vice-Chairman, Trustee McLeod and Trustees Gardiner, Dietrich and Bazley.

Minutes of the last regular meeting and the special meeting were read and on motion of Trustee Gardiner were approved as read. Carried.

A communication from the Irma Hospital District No. 55, was read, requesting that the present contract be extended to December 31, 1948. Moved by Trustee Gardiner, that this letter be tabled for consideration until a full Board are present. Carried.

A Ministerial Order was received, stating that the following lands were now included in the Wainwright municipal hospital district No. 17:—as from January 1, 1948:— Township 43 and 44 and that part of 45 south of the Battle River in Range 1, Moved by Trustee Bazley that the Board accept and approve of the above lands being included in the Hospital District. Cd.

Moved by Trustee Gardiner that the motion setting the Minimum Tax at $4.00 be rescinded. Cd.

Moved by Trustee Gardiner that the Minimum Tax be set at nine dollars, ($9.00), and all contributing areas be notified. Cd.

Moved by Trustee Bazley that the change in the wiring of the X-ray Room as submitted be approved and that Rule, Wynn and Rule, and Hilas Electric Co. be notified. Carried.

Moved by Trustee Gardiner that secretary notify Rule Wynn and Rule that it will not be necessary for the Dark Room to be leaded as the Board intend to purchase an X-ray Film Safe. Cd.

Moved by Trustee Dietrich that Rule, Wynn and Rule be authorized to install an adequate pressure supply tank in the new building, and same to be set up so that it can be flushed out. Cd.

Moved by Trustee Bazley that the action of the vice chairman and secretary re ordering a Solution X-ray Tank be approved. Cd.

The Auditor's report for the year 1947 was presented and on motion of Trustee Gardiner the report was accepted. Cd.

Estimates for the year 1948 were presented for the approval of the Board as follows:

Estimated Revenue for the Year 1948	
Requisitions	
Minburn M.D. 72	478.87
Vermilion River M.D 71	80.51
Wainwright M.D. 61	27825.63
Town of Wainwright	7304.47
	35689.48
Contracts	
Irma Mun. Hospital Dist. 55	1100.00
	36789.48
Patients fees	28000.00
Government Grants	6400.00
Subscribers fees	350.00
Sundry	175.00
Sale of bal. of debentures	61000.00
	134714.48
Estimated Expenditures for 1948	
Administration	
A. Salaries	1200.00
B. All Others	3500.00
Professional Care	
A. Salaries	10500.00
B. All Others	10500.00
Kitchen & Dining Room	
A. Salaries	5000.00
B. All Others	9500.00
General House & Property	
Housekeeping	nil
Supplies	nil
Laundry	
Wages	1000.00
Supplies	300.00

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ANNOUNCEMENT

The Wainwright Clinic takes pleasure in announcing their association with DR. ROLAND WATSON, B.Sc., M.B, Ch.B. (Liverpool) temporarily, during the absence of DR. H. C. WALLACE.

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TOWN ANNUAL MEETING FRIDAY

Every year at this time the annual meeting of the town takes place, and every year at this time we remind the ratepayers that it is their meeting and they should be out in full force to hear the various reports which are given by the councillors, who devote so much of their time on a gratis basis to the welfare of the town. It is very disheartening for our councillors to work all year and at the end of that year prepare a report on their activities only to be delivered to a blank wall or a half filled room. It is not only right that the ratepayers should be in attendance, but is also their duty. It has been their money which has been spent. It is in their own interest to make sure that it has been spent in the proper and most valuable manner.

Accompanied in this weeks paper is a synopsis of the financial statement for the town of Wainwright. The town treasury has concluded another most successful year balancing their budget in as close a manner as possible under todays conditions. A small surplus was shown on the records at the end of the year which is a healthy state of affairs. The total debt of the town is at an all time low amounting to just over $5,000, which could be easily paid off at any time if conditions were so that it was legally possible. This small debt is a mere drop in the bucket compared to our assets of $75,000.

Tax collections were reported as being good with just better than 100% being turned in. During the past years the arrears for taxes have become less each year, resulting in the figure each year of better than 100%.

According to the financial statement the town coffers received over $51,000 and spent $49,500 plus. There are one or two points which might not be clear in the spending portion of the statement, and that is the fact that the town actually spent a little in excess of their budgeting and still showed a surplus. While this might not seem understandable it is rightly so. During the year there were expenses which had to be met from current revenue which were not forseen. Such items as the grader, the new well pump and a pre payment to the water and sewerage engineers were not expected in 1947 and consequently were not budgeted for. These had to be paid, so by capitalizing them and paying for them from former surpluses a resulting surplus was shown on the years activities. It is a difficult procedure sometimes to budget at the start of the year for every expense which is likely to occur during the year. 1947 held this danger in respect to the above. The water and sewerage debenture was not offered for sale and this placed the town under an obligation to pay Haddin and Miles. The monies for this payment were included in the cost of the water and sewerage costs. If and when this money is realized from the sale of debentures for the water and sewerage, this $3,000 already paid for will be turned back to the town. In simple bookkeeping, the town coffers have extended a loan of $3,000 to pay the engineers which will be returned to its proper place when the money rolls in from the sale of water and sewerage debentures. All in all the 1947 financial statement is one that the citizens can be proud of. It is an honest record of the efforts of our councillors, mayor and secretary treasurer, to make Wainwright a little better place to live in.

All which we have said will likely be brought before the annual meeting and given in much more detailed fact to those attending. However, there is one or more things which the ratepayers are apt to bring to the meeting which will have some bearing on future developments for the town. One is the P.M.C, how, when and where. The other is likely to include the water and sewerage system, how and when.

This is your meeting. It is your pocket book which is directly affected by future course of actions. This is the true democratic spirit. This is the people's voice in the people's government. Call it what you may, it is the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers to be held at 8:00 p.m. in the Town Hall, Friday, January 30th. Let us hope for a full attendance.

McKENZIE KING RETIRES

Prime Minister King last week announced his retirement from the leadership of the Liberal party. This came as a surprise to no one, as suggestions along this line have been made from time to time for some months now. The actual retirement will not take place for a few months yet, as not until the annual Liberal convention will a new leader be elected. Many prominent Liberals have been suggested, with the Honorable St. Laurent as being the likely successor.

While many will have not agreed with Mr. Kings tactics as a politician during the years past there is hardly anyone who will not concede that he is and will be recorded in history as one of Canada's outstanding political leaders. He has always portrayed the man who takes the middle course, trying to please everyone while actually leaving much to be desired in pleasing anyone. He was a great party man. With Mr. King it was party first, country second. Something which many people do not agree with, although it has gone a long way to giving Mr. King the record of the longest term as Prime Minister. When Mr. King resigns he will have equalled Sir Robert Walpole, the British Prime Minister, in length of service. Walpole served 20 years 10 months and 9 days. Again Mr. King has done somebody "one better."

THE NATION'S BUSINESS

by ottawa observer

Prices and Controls

Much interest was shown here in the National Network radio address by the new Minister of Fisheries, Hon. Milton F. Gregg, delivered last week in answer to the campaign of the C.C.F. leader, Mr. Gregg pointed out that immediately after the war the Progressive-Conservative Party called for government decontrol of prices and that the Socialists were equally loud in demanding decontrol of wages.

He pointed out that as wages formed the biggest item in costs both campaigns were for conditions that would inevitably increase the cost of all commodities. "Each of us is both a producer and a consumer of something. And yet, taken altogether, as pay cheques come up, so do the prices of the things we buy, and we find we cannot have it both ways."

The Government's responsibility

Mr. Gregg claimed that it was the duty of the government to provide what he called a good "climate" for men in farming, fishing and other industries, including labour and management, to use their judgement, initiative and enterprise to chart their own course and to take the rewards or risks that follow. His definition of a good "climate" was research for the assistance of farmers, fishermen and other industries; information to assist in more efficient production and handling; the improved inspection methods to guarantee higher quality; the removal of adverse tariffs, capital shortages, etc. Mr. Gregg was a realist in seeking to point out Canada's position in a fiercely competitive world from which it could not isolate itself by an authoritarian socialist economy which would be fictitious. The Socialist government of Saskatchewan evidently agrees with this as it has a price control law which it has not put into effect.

Wires crossed

A radio news program recently quoted the C.C.F. socialist leader of Saskatchewan in a bitter attack on people of Canada who "rouse war hysteria and force reactionary policies on an unsuspecting public" by criticism of Russia.

On the same program was news of a bitter attack on Russian communists by Socialist leader Attlee of Great Britain. A few days later Deputy Prime Minister Morrison of Great Britain followed up with a further attack on Russia and on Communists.

Saskatchewan newspapers point out that the C.C.F. government of that province is now controlled entirely by the left wing Canadian Congress of Labor with headquarters in Toronto and that the farmers' interests in that agricultural province are subordinated.

Provincial legislatures

Political forecasters here always watch closely the sessions of Canada's nine legislative assemblies or "provincial parliaments".

The Quebec legislature opened last week with an imposing program. While many call it a pre-election session, Premier Duplessis does not admit it. Other legislatures are all expected to open late in the month or early in February.

There is a reason for the political observer's interest in legislatures. They are frequently a more definite sign of political trends than by-elections or "gallup" polls. The most dramatic "sign" came during the Bennett Conservative Regime between 1930 and 1935. During its first two years in office the Bennett government held its own in by-elections, gaining one from the Liberals and losing one to the same party. During the next three years the government lost all by-elections but one but the most startling loss was six Conservative provincial governments which proved to be a dependable prophecy of the defeat of the Federal Conservative Government.

T.B. Seal Fund Still Short of Goal

R. W. Roscoe, president of the Alberta Tuberculosis Association announced at an Executive meeting Sunday that provincial Christmas Seal receipts were now $110,000.

This sum is $6,000 more than the final total of the 1946 Seal sale, but it is still $15,000 short of the 1947 objective of $125,000.

Mr. Roscoe pointed out that every cent of the objective is urgently needed in order to carry out the expanded program of community chest X-ray surveys planned for 1948, and issued a special appeal to Alberta citizens to help the Association achieve its goal. Many other important anti-tuberculosis measures are also financed through the Christmas Seal fund.

IN OUR TIME

By Howie Hunt

Copr. 1947 Star Bro Enterprises.

"Where are we living now? - Well, you know that little fort Jessica built ten years ago..."

Do You Remember?

Taken From The Star Files

TWENTY YEARS AGO
February 1, 1948

Mrs. John Hore, a resident of this district since 1917, passed away at her home ten miles south of town from the effects of a paralytic stroke. The deceased lady was 54 years of age.

Mr. Philip Brassard has the honor of being the first man in town to own a new Pontiac Sports car. This was purchased from Dupre's Garage the first of the week.

Citizens of town and district are warned of a "smooth salesman" offering special financial bargains. Authorities have examined this scheme thoroughly and advise against this form of investment.

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FIFTEEN YEARS AGO
January 25th, 1933

The following articles were advertised by Safeways Stores in this weeks issue of the Star: Swift's Empire Side Bacon—15c lb.; Seedless raisins—2 lbs. 32c; Pineapple, sliced, —2 tins 23c.

A large crowd gathered at the Oddfellows Hall last Friday evening to honor Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Huntingford who will be moving to Edmonton in the very near future.

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TEN YEAR SAGO
January 26th, 1938

A quiet wedding was solemnized at the St. Andrews (Pres.) Church last Thursday evening when Miss Doris Bonner became the bride of Mr. Donald R. Stewart both of Wainwright.

The local rink comprised of: Skip. Vic Cowley, O. Michon, Mr. Howarth and Mr. Anderson, which attended the Edgerton spiel are happy in the possession of awards won in the Grand Challenge and Red and White Trophy.

Quite a large number of local "Scots" gathered in the I.O.O.F. Hall on Monday evening to pay tribute to the noted Scottish poet Robert Burns, when a splendid concert was sponsored by St. Andrews Ladies Aid Mr. D. W. Davison made an efficient chairman for the evening.

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FIVE YEARS AGO

Mr. W. J. Reynolds one of the old-timers of the Heath district passed away last week at the age of 65 years For the past few months Mr. Reynolds had been the sufferer of heart trouble and complications resulting in his death.

On Thursday morning last on the Ordway farm south of town, John Novak who has been living there for a number of years ended his life with a .22 rifle. He was 43 years old at the time of his death.

Sergt. Roy Tolmie RCAF who had been listed as missing in action has now been reported prisoner of war according to word received by his parents here.

Joe Rutledge Says

COUNTING DOUBTFUL BLESSINGS

By Joseph Lister Rutledge

We assume that the political system that does the most for its citizens might be said to be the system that is best for them. It is on such a premise that the advocates of communism, and even the advocates of some of the paler shades of the same thinking, have based their claims. Under capitalism, they assure us, the worker is wickedly exploited, while under the leftish way of thought, all benefits accrue to the worker and producer.

Under our form of enterprise we have to admit frankly that the worker hasn't always been wholly satisfied. He has said so with frankness and determination, and with very considerable effect. Under the soviet system he has appeared satisfied, or if not, for his own good reasons, he has kept his dissatisfaction to himself. But, as it works out, these silent —or satisfied— communist workers would actually have been a lot better off, even as vaguely dissatisfied workers under the so-called system of free enterprise.

In support of this statement we would produce some figures provided by experts of the notably honest and dispassionate New York Times. These figures relate wages and prices in a common denominator of what an hour's work-effort will buy in Communist Russia or free enterprise United States. The commodity prices for Russia are those announced by the Soviet as prevailing in Zone 1, USSR. For the United States the figures are for prices prevailing in A. and P. Stores and, for clothes, in the Sears-Roebuck catalogue.

Here are a few items. The Russian worker will labor an hour and ten minutes to earn a pound of white bread. The American will secure it in 7½ minutes effort. A pound of sugar will cost the Russian worker 2½ hours work, the American will earn the necessary price in 6½ minutes. A dozen eggs will cost the Russian just short of five hours work, a pound of tea will require ten hours, and coffee a little more than 14 hours. For exactly the same items, the average American worker will work, for the eggs, 38½ minutes, for the tea 39½, and for the coffee 22½ minutes. The same difference applies in other commodities. A man's worsted suit will require the work-hours of almost four weeks; his wife's cotton house dress means four days work; The American will work three days for the suit and a little short of 2½ hours for the dress.

Please accept my warmest thanks for the help given to us and to the public in assuring expeditious handling of the Christmas mails.

Yours sincerely,
W. J. TURNBULL
Deputy Postmaster General.

The Road To Better Health

NURSES MEET CHALLENGE OF PRESENT-DAY NEEDS

The Canadian nurse of today is meeting present-day needs by adjusting her services to include both the sick and the well in the home and the community, the Canadian Nurses' Association says in a National Health Week message to the Canadian people.

Here is the text of the message:

The nurse in 1948 finds herself in a streamlined society where nonessentials are eliminated and changes to meet new needs are commonplace. She has had to adapt her services over a period of years to meet the demands of a changing society.

Nurses are making an important contribution in maintaining the health of Canadians so they may fulfill their responsibilities and enjoy their rights. The nurse has always given conscientious and skilled care to the sick, and she continues to recognize this as a fundamental function. But it is not enough. Human and economic loss can be greatly reduced as a result of scientific discoveries which the medical profession has applied for the prevention of disease and the promotion of health. The nurse is a member of this team who brings the knowledge to the individual and helps him to use it for the improvement of his health.

Today's nurse has added a new function to her age-old service of care to the sick. Her responsibility to society is now recognized to include the sharing of her knowledge of healthful living with her patients. The nurse serves the infant, child and adolescent by bringing to the parents an understanding of their children's physical and emotional needs. During his school years, the nurse sees the child in school as well as in the home. This provides an opportunity for the nurse to coordinate the health education work of teachers and parents. Throughout the individual's adult years the nurse continues to serve him by interpreting health practices, individualized to meet his particular needs as she sees him in the factory, office clinic or home. Recently, she has become especially aware of the needs of the aged.

So, it can be said the nurse is meeting present-day needs by adjusting her services to include both the sick and the well, in the home and the community.

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Ottawa,
14th January, 1948

The Editor,
Dear Sir,

Reports which I have received from Postmasters in all parts of the country show that co-operation by the public in mailing early at Christmas was more marked than ever this year and I would like on behalf of the Canadian Postal Service, to express to you and the public generally our very warm appreciation of the assistance so generously accorded to us.

Once again the volume of Christmas Mail, parcels and letters, reached new high levels in most offices. Because the great majority of patrons, however, co-operated with the Post Office in mailing before or on 19th December, which had been publicized as the closing date, peak dates in most post offices occurred on 18th, 19th and 20th December. This enabled our greatly augmented staffs to come to grips with the tremendous volume of Christmas mail in ample time to assure delivery before Christmas Day. In fact, all our reports indicate that on the day before Christmas all deliveries were back to almost normal.

I want particularly at this time to make grateful acknowledgement of the assistance extended to us by the newspapers in attaining this very gratifying result. In all parts of the country, the newspapers gave very generous display to our announcements and to special articles on various phases of Post Office work, and I am sure that this publicity played no small part in making the public conscious of the need to mail early.

W.H.S. HI-LITES

Winter sports are at a peak once again as hockey and curling really get under way. Hockey was played last Saturday, January 10, when Wainwright met Hardisty in a game losing 8-3. Their satisfaction, the team says, will come the succeeding Saturday, when again they battle at Hardisty.

Several games of curling have been played with teams hailing the following points: Alexander 6, MacKenzie 6, McLeod 4, Croteau 5, Orcheski 2, Cargill 7, White 1, Cameron, Dallyn and Newell with 0, Wainwright will be entering one team in the Northern Alberta Bonspiel at Edmonton to be held January 23 and 24, Sponsored by Taylor, Pearson and Carson Co. and the Winnipeg Free Press, the winning team for Alberta will get a free trip to Winnipeg to try for the Dominion Championship. The team from Wainwright will comprise Lorne McLeod as skip, Harry Alwood, third, Glenn Alexander second and Dorothy Cameron lead. They will be leaving Thursday night. Don't stop 'till you get to Winnipeg kids!

—W.H.S. Reporter

With The Field Supervisor

By F. W. Maddex

Office Days

The Wainwright Agricultural Service Board, at a recent meeting, felt that a better and more valuable service could be established with more office days in the district. Your Field Supervisor has been holding office days in Chauvin since last September and it is felt that a much closer contact has been obtained with the farmers of the Eastern section of the Municipal District.

The following office days have been arranged for the respective districts, which I will conduct until further notice:

IRMA—Every other Tuesday commencing Tuesday, January 20th, February 3rd, 17th etc. Treasury Branch Office.

EDGERTON—Every other Thursday, commencing Thursday, January 22nd, February 5th, 19th, etc. T. Shaw's Hardware.

CHAUVIN—Every other Friday, commencing Friday, January 23rd, February 6th, 20th, etc. Anti-room of Rest Room.

Any farmer or ratepayer of the Municipal District of Wainwright with an Agricultural problem is invited to visit their respective office on the above dates.

Agricultural Meetings

A number of agricultural meetings are being arranged for this district, and all the up-to-date information on Weed Control, both cultural and chemical will be available, and it is hoped that coloured films will be shown at some of the meetings. These meetings will also include organization of the 1948 Warble Fly campaign. Watch your local paper for further announcements.

Seed Grain

Recent requests have gone out from this office for listings of seed grains available, and requirements of seed grain for the 1948 crop.

Mr. A. M. Wilson, Field Crops Commissioner, in a recent bulletin, states that seed grain is going to be in very short supply, particularly in the Peace River block, due to the late August frosts, and the hail took a very large toll in other areas. These farmers are going to be looking elsewhere for seed requirements this year, as was our practise in recent years, to have our seed requirements shipped in from the western portion of the province.

It is very doubtful if course grains will be available for import to this district this spring, so we are therefore, anxious to have seed listings in this office in the near future, in order to prevent disappointment when spring comes. So if anybody has a fair sample of course grains, which you think might make commercial seed, let us know.

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CONSOLIDATION OF HOSPITAL MINUTES

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Engineer & Janitor	
Wages	1800.00
Supplies	200.00
Fuel	2000.00
Light & Power	2800.00
Freight & Express	275.00
Rent or Building	260.00
Maintenance	
Building & Grounds	2000.00
Furniture	500.00
Dry Goods	1000.00
Total Running Costs	57725.00
Capital Repayments	
Principal	6500.00
Interest	7400.00
Total Operating expenses	71625.00
Capital Expenditure	120202.75

Moved by Trustee Bazley that Estimates be accepted as submitted and forwarded to the Department for approval, Carried.

Matron's report for the month of December 1947 as follows:—

Total number of In-patients	104
Total number of out patients	23
Total Patients	127
Total number of hospital days	669
Classification of In Patients	
Surgical	39
Medical	51
Obstetrical	11
Infants Born	10
	104
Deaths	1

Moved by Trustee Bazley that Matron's report for the month of December be accepted, Carried.

The report of the finance committee was presented and on motion of Trustee Bazley the report was accepted, Carried.

Moved by Trustee Gardiner that accounts amounting to $21,733.32 be approved and cheques issued on the Debenture Account, Cd.

Moved by Trustee Dietrich that accounts amounting to $2,662.67 be approved and cheques issued on the Current Account, Cd.

Moved by Trustee Gardiner that the meeting adjourn. The next regular meeting to be held on Saturday, February 14, 1948 at 1 p.m. Carried.

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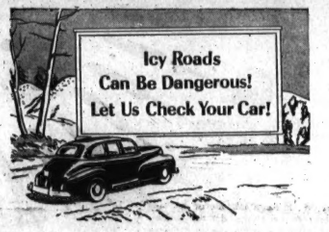

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Auditors' Report

To the Mayor and Council,
Town of Wainwright,
Wainwright, Alberta

January 16, 1948

Gentlemen:

We present herewith Financial Statements of the Town of Wainwright for the year ended December 31, 1947.

We have audited the accounts of the Town of Wainwright for the year 1947 and have found all receipts properly deposited and all payments properly authorized and in order. We have found all records well and properly kept.

During the year the following payments made from Revenue have not been charged as an expense but have been capitalized,—

Maintainer $3000.00
being depreciated 10% per annum
Turbine pump $746.00
Depreciation at 10% per annum to start in 1948
Payment to Hadden and Miles $3000.00
Engineering re water and sewer project

All required information has been readily available. We shall be pleased to supply any further information desired at any time.

All of which is respectfully submitted.
Patriquin, Duncan, McClary, McClary and King
By: Harry O. Patriquin

Annual Meeting
Friday Jan. 30, 8 p.m.
Town Hall
NOMINATION MONDAY, FEBRUARY 16th, 1948
ELECTION (if necessary) MONDAY, FEB. 23rd, 1948

Annual Financial Statement 1947
Town of Wainwright

BALANCE SHEET FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1947

ASSETS

FIXED ASSETS				
Town Hall				
Real Estate		1500.00		
Building	29607.97			
Less Dep. Reserve	20107.77	5500.20	7000.20	
Fire Department Truck	3959.62			
Less Dep. Reserve	791.92	3167.70		
Turbine Pump		746.00	3913.70	
Rink — Real Estate			1700.00	
Scavenging:				
Nuisance Ground		275.00		
Equipment, Tools, etc.	1094.25			
Less Dep. Reserve	1094.25		275.00	
Cement Sidewalks		14165.54		
Less Dep. Reserve		14165.54		
Street Grading		8173.07		
Less Dep. Reserve		8173.07		
Equipment		3000.00		
Less Dep. Reserve		300.00	2700.00	
Furniture, Fixtures & Equip.		1515.95		
Less Dep. Reserve		1515.95		
Cemetery		672.60		
Agricultural Grounds		1070.00		
Agricultural Building		290.00		
Water Well		295.00	2327.60	
Waterworks Construction		22083.32		
Less Dep. Reserve		18065.31	4018.01	
Water and Sewer Project (advanced)			3000.00	24934.51
CURRENT ASSETS				
Cash in Banks:				
General Fund		24384.14		
Cemetery Trust		71.80		
Tax Sale Trust		485.94		
Petty Cash		50.00	24991.88	
Taxes Rec. - Consolidated			4775.68	
War Savings Certificates (cost)			480.00	
Dominion War Loans Bonds			8500.00	38747.56
OTHER ITEMS				
Forfeited Lands Taxes		34744.73		
Less Reserve		22682.94	12061.79	
Debenture Discount			94.36	12156.15
				75838.22

LIABILITIES

DEBENTURE DEBT		
Debenture Outstanding		4635.48
RESERVES		
Tax Sale Surplus	485.94	
Cemetery Trust	71.80	557.74
CAPITAL SURPLUS		
Balance Dec. 31, 1946	69016.15	
Add 1947 Surplus	1628.85	
Balance Dec. 31, 1947		70645.00
		75838.22

PROFIT AND LOSS STATEMENT FOR YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1947

REVENUE

Tax Levy Consolidated	49613.13	
Penalties and Costs	349.67	
Dog Taxes (Net)	93.00	
Fines Remitted	260.00	
Interest on Bonds	255.00	
Poll Taxes	428.00	
Auto Camp (Net)	5.76	
Licences and Permits	30.00	
Forfeited Lands Revenue	44.00	
Water Supply	106.50	51185.06

EXPENSES

Salaries	5586.49	
Debenture Interest	405.52	
Debenture Discount (Proportion)	56.37	
Tax Discounts	2387.19	
Fire Hall Maintenance	2022.19	
Less Rentals, etc.	134.50	1887.69
Fire Department Maintenance	1115.38	
Less Revenue	59.50	1055.88
Scavenging	2788.53	
Less Revenue	231.00	2557.53
Street Lighting		1701.00
Public Works	2446.04	
Less Revenue	81.00	2365.04
Rink Maintenance	618.00	
Less Revenue	80.45	537.55
Grants and Membership		495.00
Board of Health		100.00
Mothers' Allowance		246.25
General Expense		623.71
Registration (L.T.O net)		48.00
Postage, Printing and Stationery		401.74
Old Age Pensions		553.87
Legal		150.00
School Boards Requisitions		20921.66
Hospital Board Requisition		3500.00
Workmen's Compensation		134.40
Charity, etc.		600.89
Delegations		70.90
Water and Sewer Expenses		54.05
Depreciation:		
Town Hall	1300.00	
Waterworks	1220.59	
Fire Truck (10%)	395.96	
Maintainer	300.00	3216.55 49556.21
Net Surplus for year 1947		1628.85

CASH STATEMENT FOR YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1947

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand in Bank Dec. 31, 1947		26835.91
Consolidated Taxes	47332.72	
Forfeited Lands Collections	917.50	
Forfeited Lands Revenue	44.00	
Dog Taxes	93.00	
Cemetery Trust	87.50	
Scavenging	231.00	
Fire Hall Revenue	134.50	
Poll Taxes	428.00	
Rink	80.45	
Interest on Bonds	255.00	
Fines	260.00	
Auto Camp	9.00	
Public Works	81.00	
Licenses	30.00	
Maps Sold	12.00	
Trees Sold	30.40	
Fire Department	59.50	
Land Titles Office	77.00	
Water Supply	106.50	50269.07
		79104.98

DISBURSEMENTS

Debenture Principal Paid	2122.84	
Public School Board	18305.13	
Separate School Board	2616.53	
Hospital Board	3500.00	
Cemetery Trust	46.00	
Scavenging	2788.53	
Fire Hall Maintenance	2022.19	
Public Works	5938.04	
Postage, Stationery and Printing	413.74	
Salaries	5586.49	
Debenture Interest	405.52	
Legal	150.00	
Board of Health	100.00	
Fire Department Maintenance	1861.38	
Street Lighting	1701.00	
Delegations	70.90	
Registrations (L.T.O.)	126.00	
Rink Maintenance	618.00	
Charity	600.89	
General Expenses	644.11	
Mothers' Allowance	246.25	
Water and Sewer Expenses	3054.95	
Workmen's Compensation	134.40	
Assessor	10.00	
Old Age Pensions	553.87	
Grants	495.00	
Auto Camp	3.24	54113.10
Cash in Bank December 31, 1947		
General Account	24384.14	
Cemetery Trust Account	71.80	
Tax Sale Trust Account	485.94	
Petty Cash Fund	50.00	24991.88

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EDGERTON

The free picture show tickets were won by Mrs. R. Challenger, Mr. Harry Johnson, Edward House and Dorothy Wilson. These tickets were donated by E. P. Hallett, the Red and White Store and the winners are requested to drop in and pick up their tickets. The ballot box is at the O.K. Store this week.

Don't forget, Edgerton's Annual Bonspiel on the 17th, 18th and 19th of February. Entries are to be placed with the Secretary on or before Saturday, 14th February.

Jim Redmond has a crew busy redecorating the hotel and bar and he is to be complimented on its fine appearance.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Shaw took Peggy back to Camrose last week and visited the city enroute.

Elva Miles left for the city on Thursday last to meet Norman who has been on a trip to the north. They returned home over the week-end.

Mrs. Evelyn Nichol has been on the sick list for the past week.

Mrs. Les Darby was taken to the Wainwright hospital for medical attention on Saturday last.

Mr. E. W. Smith of the Commercial Life Assurance Company was a business visitor here for a few days last week. He was working with their representative, Roy Evans.

Earl Hallett was a business visitor to the city last week.

The following members of the Royal Arch paid a visit to the Wainwright Lodge last Thursday evening: T. L. Shaw, B. Crane, A. Spence, A. House and F. Roberts.

With bonspiels in full swing the following rinks are attending the Wainwright Annual Bonspiel. Skip G. C Welsh, R. Kyle, A. E Challenger, F. Ramsay; Skip H. Spornitz, E. W Spornitz, S. Steele, E. W Taylor Skip A. Spence, T. Jackson, G. E. Miles, G. Nesbitt; Skip J. Strayer, R. Pawsey, A. E Nelson, E. Hallett; Skip T. L Shaw, D. Sawyer, R. Evans L. W Darby. Lets all hope that the above rinks bring home some of the bacon.

The Edgerton Branch of the Canadian Legion BESL are holding their annual meeting on Thursday, 29th January in the Memorial Hall. All members are urged to attend.

The Annual Meeting of the Legion Women's Auxiliary was held Thursday January 22nd at the home of Mrs. Dud Sawyer. Owing to so much sickness there were only ten members present. There were six visiting members of the Legion and the President Comrade Don Redmond installed the newly elected executive of the W.A. The retiring president, Mrs. I. Krinbill gave a very comprehensive report of the years activities of the Auxiliary which proved the members had accomplished quite a lot. They had contributed $200.00 towards the purchase price of the Memorial Hall. Mrs. Jean Spornitz the treasurer read the financial statement which was accepted and carried. The following are the executive for 1948. Mrs. I Krinbill was re-elected president, Mrs. S. I. Groves 1st Vice President, Mrs. D. Sawyer 2nd vice-president, Mrs. Jean Spornitz the treasurer. The election of the secretary was left until the next meeting. A vote of thanks was given to Mrs. I. Krinbill and also the other officers for their work during the past year. A very nice lunch was served by the ladies and a very enjoyable meeting and evening brought to a close.

Steele's Sales and Service are sponsoring a Free Show on Thursday, February 12th. This show will feature Hydraulic Farm Hand and Prairie Mulcher Machinery. As well as the free show valuable prizes will be raffled for both men and women in attendance.

On Saturday evening last an Edgerton rink consisting of R. Pawsey, A. E. Nelson, J. Strayer and G. Nesbitt played host to a rink from Wainwright consisting of Messrs Fraser, Wright, Smith and Thompson. A very close and exciting game was played. The result being a 12-12 tie at the end of the 12th.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. J. McGaughey, a daughter on Saturday, January 24th, at Edgerton.

PELICAN

A rink from Pelican consisting of Ole Haugan, Harold Haugan, Nick Leskow and Mike Belik journeyed to Roros curling rink on Sunday. They had a fine game but the score didn't look as well as the last time.

Mrs. Alf Clarke spent a few days in the hospital this past week.

Mrs. Ole Greibrok, Mrs. Mike Belik and April returned from a short trip to Edmonton. While there they spent a few days at the U.F.A. convention.

It was found necessary to take Mrs. Wm. Leskow to the hospital this week. We understand she is quite sick.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Pawsey of Lloydminster visited at Leskows at the week-end.

Several young people from Edgerton came out to ski and toboggan on the river hills on Sunday.

The N.F.B. pictures will be at Bloomington on Thursday, January 29th. Show to start at 7:30.

McCafferty & Browning

It would be hard for any country correspondent to fail to comment on the very mild weather we have been enjoying for the past week.

On Tuesday afternoon the McCafferty UFWA held their regular monthly meeting at the school house. Mrs. Bob Jackson who had been in Edmonton attending the Provincial convention gave an interesting report of the session.

On Wednesday afternoon the Browning-Dolcy UFWA held their combined monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Harry Scott. Mrs. Armstrong and Mrs. Nelson who were the delegates to the Provincial convention gave their reports which were enjoyed by the members.

We are sorry to learn Mrs. Will Melley is on the sick list at present.

Bill Jackson who has been away in Edmonton part of the winter has returned home. Billy McBride has also returned home.

Time Out For Laughs

The young lady arrived home exhausted.

"What on earth have you been doing?" asked her mother.

"Well, Bill asked me to go for a stroll, and we've walked miles and miles. When I was about worn out, I suggested we should take a bus home, but he demurred at the expense.

"Do you mean to tell me that he was too stingy to pay the fare?" queried the mother.

"Thats about the idea," the girl replied. "But I did have my way in the end, and we did take the bus home."

The mother straightened her lips, put on her hat and coat, and grabbed her purse. Off she hurried down the street to where Bill lived. She rang the bell, and he onened the door.

"I've brought seven cents to pay for the outing youve had with my daughter she said.

"Bill took the coins. "Thanks very much, Mrs. Smith," he replied. "You shouldn't have bothered to come tonight. Any time tomorrow would have been quite alright.

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"No", was the reply. "I heard from my boy himself."

"From the boy himself?" her astonished friends exclaimed. "How on earth could you do that?"

"Here's the letter," she sobbed, taking a crumpled sheet from her pocketbook. "It says, Dear Mother: I am now in the Holy Land."

A pretty nurse, just returned from the South Pacific, was describing an air raid in New Guinea. "When the Jap bombers came," she said, "I jumped into the nearest wolfhole."

"You mean foxhole, don't you?" a listener inquired. "How should I know?" she answered. "There was a wolf in it when I got there."

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PLAXTONVILLE

We are glad to see Mr. Ernest Meyer home from the hospital and around again.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Thayer (nee Mary Dickout) of Kinsella on the birth of a baby son.

Four members of the Gilt Edge Sport Club met on Tuesday evening as a committee to decide on material for a concert.

Best wishes are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Allan Rathwell (nee Patsy Lagerquist) on their recent marriage. A number from the district attended the wedding in Wainwright on Friday, January 23rd.

We are glad to hear Mrs. H. E. Kitchen of Mayfield has returned home from the hospital.

Little Miss Ruth Dickout was a visitor to the district last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Roberts visited at the A. Olson home Sunday evening.

A number of folks attended the card party at the home of Mrs. J. Black on Saturday evening last. An enjoyable time was reported.

The Plaxtonville School Club plan to hold a box social and dance on dance on Friday night sponsored by Mr. and Mrs. Allan Rathwell at the Gilt Edge Park Hall.

January 30th.

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BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Walter Thayer of Kinsella at the Wainwright municipal hospital on January 21st, a boy.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Johnston of Irma at the Wainwright municipal hospital on January 26th, a boy.

Many of his old friends would be pleased to see Mr. Verne E. Graham, one of the very early settlers in Wainwright, who is now living in the States and was in town this week renewing acquaintances. He was accompanied by his son and daughter-in-law.

— ★ —

After visiting since the holiday season with relatives in town, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Carroll returned to Lloydminster on Sunday.

— ★ —

Mrs. L. Christensen of Edmonton is in town this week visiting with her sister Mrs. Howard Murray and other relatives.

— ★ —

Mr. J. Steenson spent a few days in Edmonton last week on business.

— ★ —

Mrs. F. Church spent a few days last week visiting in Edmonton with her husband who has been transferred there by the C.N.R.

— ★ —

Mr. Frank McLeod made two trips to Edmonton on business the first of the week.

— ★ —

Mr. C. S. Smallwood of Irma, last week took delivery of a new 1948 Ford Tudor from Wainwright Motors

— ★ —

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Middlemass motored to Edmonton on Monday. Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Middlemass are in the city where the Dr. is receiving medical treatment.

— ★ —

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Peacock and son left the first of the week for the southern part of the province at Seebe, Alberta.

HEATH

Mrs. H. Smith has made several trips to Edmonton in the last couple of weeks where she has been receiving medical treatment. We are pleased to know that her health has improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Jones had a family gathering on Saturday, January 17th, when the Jones and Wilkinson families celebrated Blodwyn and George Wilkinson's first wedding anniversary as well as Blodwyn's 21st birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Davis and daughter spent several days last week in Edmonton.

Mrs. T. Withnell and Mrs. A. Patterson were visitors to the UFWA convention held in Edmonton recently.

Mrs. C. Ough and small daughter Sharon and Carol of Edmonton are visiting at the home of Mrs. Ough's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H Smith.

Chester Bowlby of Edgerton spent last week visiting with Allen Bouck.

Mrs. J. W. Bartlett is spending a few days in Wainwright where she is helping her sister Mrs. J. Smith who has moved to Wainwright from Vermilion during the past week.

The National Film Board pictures will be shown in Heath School on Friday, January 30th, at 7:30 p.m. Everybody welcome.

St. Patrick's Anglican congregation will hold their annual meeting in the church on Sunday February 1, immediately following the morning service. A good turn out is hoped for.

Many relatives, friends and neighbors of the district, have accepted the invitation to attend the golden wedding celebration of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Krinbill in the Aspen school on Monday evening. The community wishes Mr. and Mrs. Krinbill many more years of happy married life.

WHITE CLOUD

New pupils at the school after the holidays are Pat and Adeline Kitchen Barry and Teddy Anderson. Welcome newcomers.

Mr. Keith Babb who works in the oil field at Calmar was home on a long change.

Anyone ever see a "Snowbow?" it would have been a "Rainbow" if it had been summer time. It showed up plain in the north skies January 12 in the early afternoon.

We take this opportunity to send our best wishes to Miss Beulah Gardiner and Mr. Myggland for their married life.

GILT EDGE

We are pleased to report Mrs. A. E. Kitchen has returned home from the hospital and is now feeling fine once more.

Mrs. L. Babb and son Ronnie and Mrs. D. McClennon were visitors at the home of Mrs. F. Anderson on Thursday of last week.

Mr. C. Beazley was confined to his home last week but is feeling some better now.

We take this opportunity to congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Allen Rathwell who were married recently and wish them many years of married happiness.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ott of the Mascot District visited at Mr. and Mrs. P. Spadys one evening last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McClennon and daughter Judith were over from Lloydminster over the week-end visiting with relatives in the district.

Mrs. L. Beazley is visiting this week with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Gosslin near Greenshields.

Mr. Oral Macklin visited on Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Dave McClennon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pasztor of Irma were guests at the home of Mrs. Pasztor parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Vegso last week.

We were sorry to learn that Mr. Charlie Helen became suddenly ill while in Wainwright last Saturday and is now in the hospital receiving medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Treffry and family visited last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Tondu.

GREENSHIELDS

The Rajotte kiddies have had their share of measles recently but we trust are quite recovered.

Mr. J. A. Patterson was able to return home from an Edmonton hospital last Thursday, when his son Ed drove up for him.

Mr. Bill Daniels is now in Edmonton for further medical treatments.

School Hockey

On Saturday afternoon the Wainwright School Hockey team took it on the chin by a 7-3 count when the Irma school team beat them with a whirlwind finish.

The locals started off strongly scoring three times in the first period. Smith fired a couple from the left side just inside the blue line and Harley popped one home from close in as he took a pass from Sheffield and Harden. Irma got one of these back as R. Lovig was Johnny-on-the spot to pick up a poorly cleared pass by McGregor. At that it was a cheap goal as it just trickled over the line.

Play in the second period was relatively dull with the locals attempting to hold their lead and Irma pressing hard to catch up. The only goal of the period was scored by Irma when Frickelton picked up a pass from W. Masson and rifled one past Madkins who had no chance. The period ended with Wainwright holding the narrow margin of the odd goal in five.

But hockey games are not decided at the two-thirds mark, a fact of which Irma was well aware. They literally caught fire in the third period and before Wainwright could extinguish this brightly burning flame the Irma boys had blazed five goals behind a harrassed Madkins. Frickleton with two goals and Hockett with three, personally took charge of the flame throwing. All that was left of the Wainwright effort were a few burnt embers that flared momentarily and died out as Coffield, Stiles, Tony and Rasmussen got clean break aways only to fire onto Kennedy's pads from point-blank range or miss the goal completely. Once Stiles had the open goal at his mercy with Kennedy twenty feet out but the best he could do was inches on the outside of the post.

Irma well deserved their victory as they played heads-up hockey all the way. They combined well under the leadership of Frickelton and never gave up even though they were two goals down early in the game. Their passing and positional play was good and the finish applied by Hockett and Frickelton left nothing to be desired.

The locals appeared to feel their lack of practice caused by the spell of mild weather. Their skating was sluggish and they tended too much to follow the puck like hounds after a hare. The clearing in the defensive zone lacked direction. At least three of Irma's goals were directly attributable to defensive lapses. Mackenzie played tirelessly on defence while the Harden-Harley-Sheffield line made several good moves.

Wallace Murray and Colin Carter must have handled the game in satis factory fashion as it is rumored that they are still living.

Line-ups

WAINWRIGHT(3)—Goal Madkins Defence: Mackenzie, LaFrance, May, McGregor, Mitchell; Forwards: Tony Smith, Coffield, Rasmussen, Marsden Stiles, Harley, Harden and Sheffield. Jones, Steele, Taggart; Forwards: IRMA (7)—Goal: Kennedy; De- Frickleton, R. Lovig, M. Lovig, A. fence: Hockett, Pierce, O. Lovig, Enger, Dawson and Masson.

Public Notice

Annual Meeting

Separate School Board No. 31

The Annual Meeting of the Wainwright Roman Catholic School District No. 31, will be held in the school on Thursday, January 29th at 8:00 p.m.

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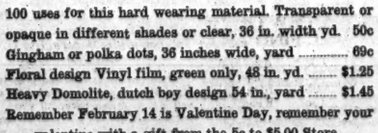

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NOTICE

Of Annual Meeting Of Electors

Public Notice is hereby given that a Meeting of the Electors of the Town of Wainwright will be held in the Council Chamber on Friday, the 30th day of January, 1948, at eight o'clock p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Mayor, Secretary-Treasurer, Auditor and Chairman of the various Committees of Council for the year ending thirty-first day of December, 1947.

Dated at Wainwright this 17th day of January, 1948

DON PAWSEY, Sec.-Treas.

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Howard Abernethy and Carl Engelen took first and second prizes at the whist drive last week, both boys were from Prepakt bridge gang.

Weather forecast, snow and more snow.

A slight epidemic of 'flu hit camp last week, almost everyone had their share.

The weather has been colder this last week, the coldest day was six below zero.

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CONTINUATION OF TASK OF MEMBERS OF RINK DEFENDED

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in cases of emergency to assist the lead in financing the purchase of this article. He is the one who is allowed to insult the lead, the third and skip, considering it beneath this dignity to address either of them in conversation except in cases of apparent oversight to ask, "Where's the bottle?"

The Third Player — A Gentleman

This gentleman is in a class by himself always. He could skip the rink, in fact he always could skip it far better than the skip doing the job now. He assumes an air of superiority over all leads and seconds and of more condescension to his skip. He does the remaining 10 per cent of the sweeping. He holds the broom for the skip to shoot, and invariably tells the skip that he should have tried the shot he, the third man, had chosen and not the one he, the skip, had just missed. He is the person who uses the chalk for putting up all points made by his side (if any). He then gives the skip the occasional cigarette, lends him a match and gives him a lot of unsolicited advice and generally embarrasses and befuddles the skip as much as possible so that when the game is lost he can say with some apparent justification that he should be skipping. This is the highest compliment you can pay a third man, that he should be a skip. They admit it always but they labor on with an air of martyrdom for the good of the cause. His principle qualification is being able to suggest what brand the lead should purchase for the days consumption. He is expected to be very "choosey" and see that nothing but the best grades in the largest bottles are procured. He, on occasion can offer faint words of praise if the skip by superhuman effort, has pulled the end out of a mess. He never, no never, admits that his rocks have been misplayed by himself. His work is always perfection. If there has been a lapse it is the fault of the sweepers or gross misjudgement on the part of the skip.

The Skip — The Ideal Curler

He is gentlemanly sportsman who gets up the rink, often sacrificing valuable time to the interest and entertainment of three other curlers who wish to play in the bonspiel. He does none of the sweeping, he merely holds the broom and his temper while the rest of the rink miss the one and strain the other. He is supposed to be experienced and to make all decisions. He must keep a stiff upper lip and not blush when he overhears the rest of the rink giving his character reading to various onlookers. If, in the case of pure accident, the rest have fallen down badly, he must assume a cheerfulness and endeavor to rake the game out from under and defeat. His chief delight and happiest expectation is to have the privilege of putting on guards with both his rocks. This privilege is always denied him. He has to knock out shots when he can only see an eye-brow. He must draw into the button, making it by eighths of inches. He must play a runner of shot and draw the next. He must take out four rocks with one shot and then lay on the button and generally make himself useful, knowing that if he wins his rink gets the credit and if he loses he alone bears the blame. He must have the patience of Job and the aggressiveness of Napoleon, must never complain or he will be classed as a poor sport.

—Shaunavon Standard.

World of Wheat

"SARAH BINKS"

In these troubled times a little laughter is good medicine So this week I bring to the notice of my readers a book intitled "Sarah Binks" written by Paul Hiebert, now Professor of Chemistry, formerly school teacher in a dried-out Saskatchewan District: a book of gay satire, inimitable wit and chuckling humour. Read and learn about Sarah of Willows, Saskatchewan, the poetess of the prairies, of her trials and tribulations, of her loves and aspirations, of her relations with Ole the hired man, and of that great event in her life when she viewed the sights of Regina, chaperoned and guided by Henry Welkin, patron of the arts and salesman of insecticides and tooth harrows. Read about Sarah's grandfather who, when he died was stuffed and then offered as a candidate for election by both Liberal and Conservative Parties. Learn how Sarah in fierce competition won the prize of a horse thermometer and who, because her poetry was sold on a controlled market, received the high award of the Wheat Pool medal. Read, too, how underneath all this fun and satire runs a heart-warming tribute to the gallant men and women of the prairies who, amide drought, hail, frost, dust-storms and low prices, stuck to their job of growing food for a hungry world.

ITEMS OF INTEREST IN THE WORLD OF FOODSTUFFS

The final official estimate of Indias 1947 wheat crop places production at 290,720,000 bushels, compared with 337,360,000 bushels in 1946, and 397 680,000 bushels in 1945. Russia and Norway recently completed a barter agreement, under which Russia will supply Norway with 3,760,000 bushels of wheat, and 2,000,000 bushels of rye from the 1947 crop. Prices have not yet been definitely fixed.

Uruguay's wheat crop now being harvested is expected to produce between 11 to 13 million bushels of wheat, compared with last year's crop of 6.7 million bushels. Prices to be paid producers will be the highest on record, and will range from $2.83 to $2.92 per bushel depending on date of delivery.

Furnace Boiler Should Be Kept Clean

A quarter of an inch of soot has the same insulating effect in a furnace as several inches of concrete, advises the Canadian Institute of Plumbing and Heating. For this reason it is necessary to keep the interior of the furnace or heating boiler clean of soot and coal dust during the winter if homeowners wish to obtain the best results during these cold days.

The Institute suggests that the interior surfaces which transmit the heat to water in a hot water system, or to the air in a warm air system, should be thoroughly cleaned at least once a week.

Cleaning a boiler can be done without trouble or dirt, by starting at the top and working downward. The soot and dust can be scraped onto the fire where it will burn or reduce to ash. It is not necessary to remove the soot from the inside of the furnace.

In cleaning, all surfaces should be scraped and wire-brushed, particularly the "ceilings" sides of the flue passages and firebox which absorb more heat than the "floors".

With the District Agriculturist

By J. S. Robbloe

FARM EXHIBITS AT THE EDMONTON EXHIBITION

Every year the Edmonton Exhibition reserves space in their exhibit rooms for district exhibits. This exhibit to be made up of farm produce from any district. Last year there was only one entry in this class, this one from Vermilion. This exhibit was made up of sheaves of grasses and cereals, canned goods put up by farm housewives, cured meat products, some fresh vegetables and honey.

Such an exhibit would depict the various types of enterprize in the community and would go a long way to advertizing the name of your town

The Edmonton Exhibition will give a space 16 to 20 feet wide and 6 to 8 feet deep to any district interested in bringing in and setting up an exhibit.

It may be early to start thinking of exhibits for next July, but any interested community would do well to set up a committee and start collecting material for exhibits to be sure of a decent sized exhibit at the fair.

New Bulletin

A new bulletin, Field Crop Varieties For Alberta For 1948, has just been received in this office. The bulletin deals with different varieties of grain in the different soil and moisture zones in the province, and makes definite recommendations for each zone on experiments carried out in that zone. A copy of this bulletin would be very handy to any farmer planning his 1948 cropping program. Bulletins can be obtained on request at the District Agriculturist's office in Wainwright.

Farm Account Book

The late publication put out by the Income Tax Department and distributed by the Post Offices looks like one of the best farmer account books I have ever seen. The book also gives a good explanation of income tax forms and dates of depreciation. Be sure to pick up a copy of this book at the Post Office if you haven't received one in the mail.

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Maple Leafs vs Tigers

In the second game the Tigers shut out the Maple Leafs by a score of 2-0 This game was completed in two longer than regulation periods by agreement of both captains. There was actually little to choose between these two teams on the basis of play but the tigers had a little better finish around the nets, and that's the pay-off territory in any hockey game.

The Tigers went ahead near the middle of the first frame when Stinert and L. Caron combined for the first goal. Stinert carried the puck down the right side and shook Caron loose as he hit the defense. Caron picked the puck in stride and the next moment the startled Leaf netminder was picking the puck out of his cage.

The Tigers went further ahead in the 2nd period when L Caron scored once again, this time on a pass from Tory. This was a scrambly sort of effort as the puck seemed to come from nowhere as the players battled for it behind the Leaf cage. Caron probably was as surprised as anyone when he found it on the end of his stick. But he knew what to do with it as he smashed it home. Koch had no chance.

The Maple Leafs never gave up as they battled all the way to the finish. They were unfortunate in not scoring at least once. Smith in particular had wretched luck. Twice he worked his way clear to the goal. Once Sweeney beat him, and on the other occasion he hit the goal post as he shot for the short side.

Line-ups:

MAPLE LEAFS (0)—Goal: L. Koch; Defence, Cartier, Alexander, Jones Mockford; Forwards, Smith, R. Koch, Wright and Bowman.

TIGERS (2)—Goal, Sweeney; Defence, Abernethy, Wilson and Mulvey Forwards, Stinert, L. Caron, R. Caron and Tory.

Summary:

1st Period: L. Caron from Stinert. Penalties: Cartier

2nd Period: L. Caron from Tory. Penalties: Cartier

McCafferty & Browning

A whist drive was held in McCafferty Hall on Tuesday evening. The prize winners were: Ladies 1st prize, Mrs. Connolly; 2nd prize, Mrs. Dick Nichols. 1st prize for men, Lance Jackson; 2nd Fred Abbott. Lunch was served and a pleasant evening was spent. It is the intention to have these whist drives every two weeks.

Roy Sargeneen is another delegate who has gone to Edmonton to attend the U.F.A. Convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davis have gone to Rosemoyne for a month while Mrs. Davis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Burton go to the coast.

Mrs. Henry Woodcock is a visitor with Mrs. Sargeneen.

Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. Clare Scott held their wedding dance in Edgerton on Friday evening.

To save fuel, windows should be kept closed during winter except for a few minutes each day to air the house. If it is desired to open bedroom windows at night, close the room register on a warm air heating system, and on hot water heating, cover the radiator especially if it is under or near the open window.

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4:30 p.m. Girls Auxiliary
Thursday
7:30 p.m. Choir Practise
Friday
4:00 p.m. Junior Auxiliary
Sunday, February 1st
11:00 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Holy Communion
2:30 p.m. Battle Heights
7:30 p.m. Evening Prayer
Tuesday, February 3rd
8:00 p.m. W.A. Meeting
Friday, February 6th
8:00 p.m. Annual Congregational Meeting

REV. F. E. SMITH, L. TH. Rector.

GRACE UNITED CHURCH

Sunday, February 1st
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"FIGHTING ANGEL"
12 a.m. Sunday School:
Young People's "Leadership Course" on "The Bible and the Christian Religion"
7:30 p.m. Evening Worship: Affiliation Service of the CGIT with the Woman's Missionary Society.
Sermon: "LIGHT"
Wednesday 7:30 p.m. CGIT Group
Wednesday 26th (In the Church)
8:00 p.m. Midweek Service
"The Books of the Psalms—4. The Fourth Book: "GOD AND THE NATIONS"
Thursday 29th, 2:30 p.m. W.M.S. Meeting
(Primary Room of Sunday School)
All are cordially invited to any of our services.

Rev. M. DOBSON, B.A. Minister

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN

Sunday, February 1st
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship
12:15 p.m. Sunday School
7:30 p.m. Evening Worship
Wednesday, February 4th
Subject: "Bible Prophecy"

REV. L. L. YOUNG, B.A, D.D Minister

WAINWRIGHT GOSPEL MISSION

February 1st, 1948
Sunday School 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.
Thursday night prayer meeting 8:00 p.m.

We rejoice to announce that the Varsity Quartet from Edmonton will be with us for the Sunday School and for the Evening Service on February 1st. They will be accompanied with two other young men who also will take part in the service.

You are heartily invited.

D. BURLER, Pastor

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This payment is 12 cents on oats and 10 cents on barley.

Final payment will be made at a later date.

IT PAYS TO PULL TO THE 'PIONEER'

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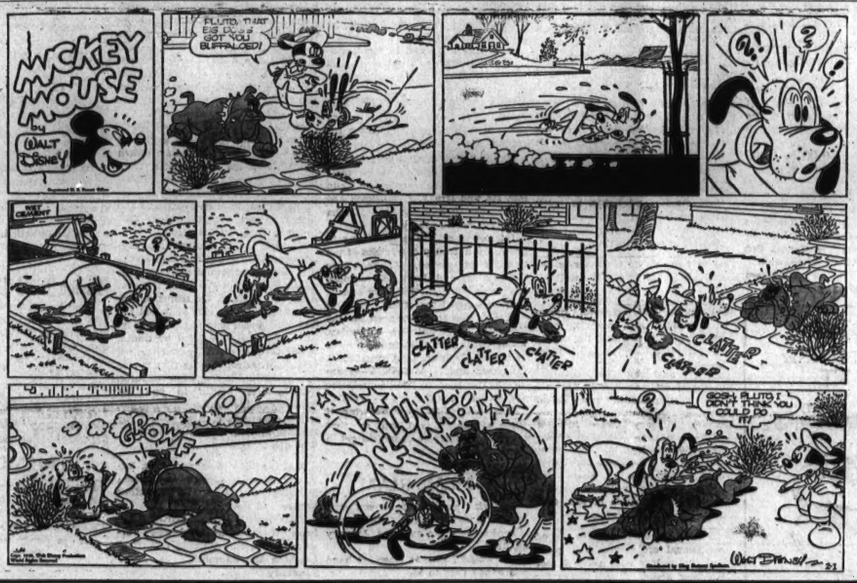

Vast Alberta Road Program Planned

Provincial road authorities already are making preparations for a vast improvement program this year. This is revealed by departmental officials who said recently that six gravel crushing outfits now are in operation in different parts of the province.

These crews are busy crushing and stock piling gravel so that there will be a head start on the hard surfacing program this spring. They are clearing the way for work to be advanced speedily and the elimination of delays caused during the past year owing to required material not being on hand.

Officials of the Alberta Motor Association have been informed that the public works department is planning another $13,000,000 road surfacing and improvement program, which will include a considerable mileage of grading and gravelling.

There is extensive work planned on highways in southern Alberta and also in the central and northern districts. This work is expected to result in a hard surfaced highway being completed from the U.S. border all the way north to Edmonton and on to Clyde on the Peace River highway. Considerable work also is planned on the Jasper highway, east and west of Edmonton.

Producing Honey From Package Bees

Take care of packages on arrival. Feed and hold at 55 or 60 degrees.

Hives should be put in readiness before the bees arrive. Each hive should contain two or three frames of honey and one or two frames of pollen. Mr. Philpott prefers to feed sugar syrup in the comb rather than feeder can. Use of the feed can permits the loss of some heat. The entrance should be ½ inch by 2 inches. To prevent the lid from sticking down cover the top of the frames with cloth or sacking.

The queen is introduced by allowing bees to release her. If she is in a dry cage fill hole with honey. Check the queen to see that she is alright; Place the cage crossways on the frames and shake some bees over it. Leave the package in the hive. On the following day remove the package and see that the queen is released. If everything is O.K. do not disturb again for 6 to 10 days.

On the first examination there will be sealed brood and the quality of the queen can be determined. Replace poor queens—those laying too few eggs, missing too many cells or if there is an excessive amount of drone brood.

Before the second supers are put on colonies are carefully examined for foul brood.

At the start of the honey flow queens excluders are put on to keep the queen down. Two supers are given as brood chamber; a queen that can fill them both is good.

Give plenty of room and ventilation to prevent swarming. Stagger the supers enough to admit bees. To check on preparations to swarm, tip the top brood super. If queens cells are present they will be seen readily. If found, take the brood nest apart and examine carefully. Clip the queens' wings. Demareeing seldom resorted to. Develop some spare queens from nuclei early in the year and hold in reserve. One will be needed now and then in case of supersedure or loss of queen.

Throughout the season supers rather than frames are handled as units. Nine frames are used in all supers. When first super above the excluder is half filled as shown by whitening when viewed from above, a second super is placed beneath it. Then when super is completely filled the bees are driven down with carbolic acid and the honey taken away.

Following is Mr. Philpott's description of the way he applies carbolic acid: Make a wire frame that fits in a metal lid. Place a pad of cotton flannel or heavy cloth over screen. Using a metal clothes sprinkler, dampen the cloth with carbolic in 15 per cent water solution (obtained from a druggist). Now scoop the burr comb off the top of the hive and place on the carbolic pad. It takes 10 or 15 minutes to drive the bees down. Take care since carbolic acid will burn clothing and taint the honey.

Mr. Philpott prefers a bee escape to brushing off the bees in removing honey. Use of a brush stirs up and excites the bees.

In destroying bees with cynasogas, one cannot be too careful in avoiding the inhaling of gas fumes. They are a deadly poison.

Unless I am sorry enough to quit when I do wrong, I will soon quit being sorry.

Promising marriages fail by not keeping the promises.

HOW TO PREVENT FIRES

Most fire losses occurring, arise from causes easily preventable. You can reduce your probability of loss by attention to the following simple precautions . . .

1. Provide metal containers for hot ashes and prohibit the use of wooden receptacles.
2. Keep cellars, closets and stairways free from loose wrapping paper or other highly combustible material
3. Equip your property so that it is easy to turn off current when leaving electric irons and other heating appliances, even for a short time.
4. Use only good standard fuses and never permit the substitution of coins or wires for blown fuses.
5. Examine metal flues periodically and see that they are removed before they are badly weakened by internal rust or otherwise.
6. See that accumulations of soot are removed from your chimneys at least once in each year, preferably before lighting fires in the fall.
7. Make sure that gasoline and other inflammable fluids, are kept out of rooms where there are open fires or flames of any kind.
8. Keep open lights (candles, gas) and portable electric heaters away from curtains or other inflammable material which may come in contact with them.
9. Keep your supply of matches in a closed metal receptacle and out of reach of the children.

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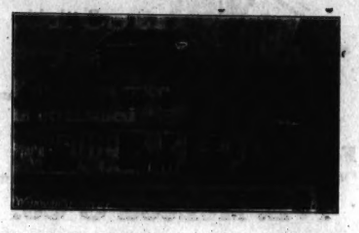

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EXPLORERS NOTES

The Explorers held their regular meeting in the classroom of the church with a good attendance. The meeting was opened with a hymn after which Florence read the scripture reading.

The girls elected new officers with Miapha Benedict as Chief Explorer—Joan Mockford
2 Chief Explorer—Barbara McNally
Keeper of the Log—Judy Harding
Assistant Log Keeper—Rosemarie Cromie.

A few games were played after which the girls sewed.

The meeting was closed with the Mizpha Benediction. —P.M.

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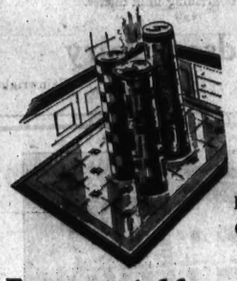

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Quantity of good used felt mattresses for sale.—Apply Wainwright Hotel. (4-2)

Massey-Harris Model 25 tractor 26-41 h.p. for sale. Recently overhauled. New rubber. May be seen at Reynolds Garage.—Apply W. G. Hetherington, Phone R1618, Wainwright. (4-2)

Philco 6 tube Battery Radio, as well as a Johnson ¾ h.p. Iron Horse Engine, all for sale.—Apply Star Office. (4-2)

1938 Light Delivery Chev. Truck for sale, good shape.—Apply Heath Auto Service. (11-2)

1929 Deluxe sedan with trunk for sale, good tires (2 new hobby) good condition.—Contact R. Carl Phone R1011, Greenshields. (11-2)

1928 Chevrolet light truck in good running order for sale; seal beam lights, new tires, license just overhauled. Very reasonable price. —Apply Box 35, Wainwright. (11-2)

One 1934 Oldsmobile Coupe, first class condition, new tires, motor recently overhauled. For particulars Phone 294. (28-1)

"Burbank" kitchen wood and coal range for sale at $60.00.—Apply to Star Office. (28-1)

Coleman gas iron; one 32 volt - 1500 watt Lighting plant; 2 oil burner water tank heaters for sale also one heavy wagon and grain tank.—Apply to J. Perkins, R911. (28-1)

Pure bred Yorkshires and Shorthorns for sale—5 boars, a large number of sows and gilts, also 6 Bulls one and two years old.—Apply to J. Perkins, R911. (28-1)

FOR SALE OR TRADE

Ford-Ferguson tractor with rubber fluid, starter and lights, in very good condition for sale or will trade for cattle.—Apply M. Cryderman, Ribstone, Alberta.

1941 ¾-1 ton Fargo truck for sale.—Contact Henry Ruste, Phone R707. (28-1)

Seed flax for sale, cleaned, grown from certified seed on spring break ing. Price—10 cents a lb.—Apply to Roch Chartier, Box 445, Wainwright. (11-2)

Single girl desires work in town.—Contact Star Office. (28-1)

Fordson Tractor for sale, just re bored equipped with hand clutch, generator, distributor, oil pump and cleaner, air cleaner and lights. This tractor is in A1 shape and ready to go to work. $200.00.—Phone R705 Chauvin or see Geo. Foged, Rawleigh Dealer.

20-35 Allis Chalmers Tractor, good mechanical order, new ball gears and pinions, for sale; also 3½ foot Kirchner seeder plow. Cheap for cash.—W. P. Dewar. Box 53 Wainwright or phone R416. (11-2)

Brand new Electric Washing Machine for sale, available in a 32 or 110 volt.—Contact Geo. Symes, R1913, Wainwright. (28-1)

15-30 McCormick Deering Tractor on lug for sale, with Robin Manifold and Robin speed control. Completely overhauled last summer. Price $500.00.—Apply Adeline LeBlanc Chauvin, Alberta. (11-2)

McClary Circulating Gas Heater for sale, A1 condition, reasonable.—Apply to Wainwright Sheet Metal and Heating. (11-2)

WANTED

Female help wanted at the Station Restaurant, Wainwright.—See the Manager. (28-1)

WANTED TO RENT

Wanted to rent a piano in good condition.—Phone 264 or write Box "W" The Star Office.

LOST

One, man's toe rubber lost on main street Saturday night. Finder please return to Star Office. x

Green colored Sheaffer pen, with the life time dot, lost on main street. —Return to Star Office for reward.

COMING EVENTS

Don't miss the annual AYPA Valentine Dance to be held in the Separate School Auditorium, Friday February 13th. Admission 75c. Lunch included. (11-2)

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our dear husband and brother James Andrew Thomson, who passed away January 22nd, 1940
Just a thought of sweet remembrance
Just a memory and sad true
Just the love and sweet devotion
Of those who think of you.
Ever remembered by
WIFE, SISTERS and BROTHERS

1948 Slate of Officers For Wain. L.O.B.A.

The 1948 installation of Officers for the Wainwright Branch of the LOBA took place at a recent meeting with Past Worthy Mistress Sister Graham acting as installing officer.

The following officers were installed—
Worthy Mistress—Sister McTurk
Deputy Mistress—Sister Mygaard
Jr. Deputy Mistress—Sister Allott
Chaplain—Sister Lilly
Rec. Sec.—Sister Hart
Fin. Sec.—Sister Lyle
Treasurer—Sister Graham
Director of Ceremonies—Sis. Goddard
1st Lecturer—Sister Watts
2nd Lecturer—Sister C. Gullekson
2nd Committee—Sister Whittle
3rd Committee—Sister Wilkins
4th Committee—Sister V. Patterson
Immediate Past Mistress—Sister Avison
Guardian—Brother McTurk
Inner Guard—Brother Goddard
Outer Guard—Brother Mygaard

Sister Avison was presented with an Immediate Past Mistress Jewel by Sister Bean after which a delicious lunch was enjoyed by the members.

ASCOT

A Farm Forum group was organized in the Ascot district January 5. This meeting was held at the home of Glenn Valleau is to be secretary treasurer. Meetings have since been held at the homes of Oliver Alexander and Ed Gullekson with 12 and 13 people respectively attending. At the conclusion of each meeting lunch was served by the hostess.

We are glad to report that Miss Fern Jackson was able to return home after her recent operation for appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Gullekson arrived home Thursday evening from their visit with their son and daughter-in law, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Gullekson and their new granddaughter, Marsha Christine, born January 6.

Interest in curling is continuing to grow. On Saturday four rinks from this district played. Messrs. Dave Rattray Sr. and Jr. kindly skipped one game while C. Gullekson and G. Valleau skipped the other.

A rink has been arranged for the Farmer's Bonspiel on Saturday. Those curling on this rink will be Messrs G. Jackson, O Alexander, C. Gullekson and G. Valleau. They are looking forward to "Bringing Home the Bacon (pigs)".

Now the ladies are wondering if there will be a mixed spiel so that they too may have a chance to get in on the fun."

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our son and brother Allan Geoffrey Goldie who passed away while overseas, January 28, 1946.
What would I give to clasp his hand
His happy face to see
To hear his voice and see his smile
That meant so much to me,
MOTHER, DAD,
SISTER and BROTHER

Pee-Wee Hockey

In a regularly scheduled Pee-Wee Hockey League game played on January 19th, the Maple Leafs defeated the Red Wings by a score of 4-3. The win was somewhat tinged with luck, as the Wings played the last half of the final period without their captain Gerry Allott, who was cut above the eye (it required three stitches) by a flying stick. Up to this point they had carefully nursed a 3-2 margin but when the break came the Leafs took full advantage of it and pierced what was left of the Wings' armor for two goals both scored by Smith.

The Maple Leafs lost no time in moving to the front. Shortly after the period opened Rod Koch secured possession in the centre ice area, moved smartly around the right side of the defence, coasted in towards the goal, and blasted the puck past the startled Darling before the latter had a chance to move. This play was repeated a few minutes later when Koch scored his second goal of the period, which ended with the Leafs leading 2-0.

If the first period belonged to the Maple Leafs, the Red Wings certainly had at least a first mortgage on the second. They played as if they owned the puck too, Allott was the bright star scoring twice to tie up the game, once by himself, and a second time on a well-timed pass from Johnny Wear. They had two other excellent chances, Wear and Allott both worked clear of the pack with only a lone defender to stop them, Wear was carrying the puck with Gerry flanking him on the right As he hit the blue line he elected to stick-handle around Cartier, instead of passing, and the latter stopped him colder than a dead fish. The same play came up a few minutes later and this time Johnny made a perfect pass but Allott fanned on the shot.

In the third period the Red Wings continued their aggressive work and went ahead for the first time when Allott tallied his third goal from Wear. They might even have increased this lead but Lawrence Cook pulled off a great save on Wear who had shaken himself into the clear but couldn't finish off his effort.

A couple of plays later three players went down in a pile as they struggled for the puck and a flying stick caught Allott just above the left eye. After this accident the tempo continued the game with five aside but the Red Birds could only flutter along on one wing. The Leafs, led by Smith, seized their opportunity and pressed home their advantage as they scored two goals in the remaining minutes, both by Gerry Smith, to pull the game out of the fire by a 4-3 margin.

The game was capably handled by Wallace Murray and Colin Carter.

Line-ups

MAPLE LEAFS—Goal: Cook, Defence: Cartier, Jones, Alexander, Mockford; Forwards: Smith, Koch Wright and Bowman.

RED WINGS—Goal: Darling; Defence: Wear, Burns, Mackenzie; Forwards: Allott, Wilkins, Coffield Leighton and Campbell.

Summary

1st Period—1, M. L. Koch, 2. M. L Koch; Penalty: J. Wear.
2nd Period—3. R. W Allott; 4. R. W Allott from J Wear
3rd Period—5. R. W Allott; 6. M. L Smith; 7. M. L. Smith
Referee: Wallace Murray
Linesman: Colin Carter

Wain Legion Rink Defeated at Viking

The C. Thurber rink journeyed to Viking to take part in the Legion play offs on Wednesday last. Players included V. Devignon, J. Morgan and Dr. O. Hauck. They were unsuccessful though, being beaten by Ryley in a straight knock-out competition.

Before the actual winner of the event could be determined, the ice became very soft due to mild weather leaving Ryley still to play Viking at a future date. It is not learned by the Star whether this game has yet been played or the results.

The idea of the competition is to determine a League Champion for the Province of Alberta by a straight knock-out event. Each Legion post has a chance to enter and the province is divided into north and south, with the winners of the north playing the winners of the south to decide the championship.

The Question Box

1—What is the largest body of water that has no outlet to the ocean?
2—How many participants are there in a hockey team?
3—What name is used in England for crackers?
4—What is said to be the most famous portrait picture in the world
5—What kind of person is an Aladdin?
6—In the Bible, who was commanded to sacrifice his son?
7—In what continent is the wild ostrich found?
8—What color is magenta?
9—Of what is pomology the science?
10—With what Shakespearian play are the names Sebastian, Viola and Orsino associated?

ANSWER TO QUESTIONS

1. Caspian Sea.
2. Six.
3. Biscuits.
4. Da Vinci's Mona Lisa.
5. One who gets his wish easily.
6. Abraham.
7. Africa.
8. Red.
9. Fruit cultivation.
10. "Twelfth Night".

Mission Band Elect Officers

A meeting of the Mission Band was held on January 20th with 24 members present. The Mission Band is comprised of boys and girls from 8 to 11 years, under the leadership of Miss M. Hays.

Our officers are:
President—Leighton Wright
Vice President—Charlie Holt
Secretary—Don McGregor
Reporter—Donna Stevenson.

IN MEMORIAM

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